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Local Boys Leave to Join Second Contingent

Large Crowd Assembled at Depot to give Them
A Send off, and Wish them God Speed

The Men will be Trained in the Exhibition
Grounds at Calgary

Local Items

Mr. Chester E. Moffet is in town for a few days.

Mr. W. B. Menahan was a visitor in Oyen on Monday.

Mr. G. W. Hasty was in Oyen in town last Friday.

A dance will be held in the Cappon School house to-morrow night.

Messrs. Ulrich, Barnard, and Frank were visitors in town last week from Monitor.

D. A. McDonald of Muhlback spent two days in town during the latter part of last week.

Mr. Alec McDonald, who left for Saskatoon last Thursday on a visit, returned to Oyen on Tuesday.

Mr. J. A. Joffe was the recipient of a very handsome tape from the ladies service squad who left Oyen last night.

Under the direction of Mr. J. Offelt a dance will be given in the Oyen Billiard Hall on Thursday next, November 20th.

A few sacks of Otter Family Flour at \$2.25; Lily Patent at \$2.75; and Quaker Champion at \$3.00. The Acadia Grain Co., Ltd.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson of Clifton arrived in town from Saskatoon on Saturday and left for their home the following day.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Gillyver returned from Roseton last Thursday. They left town the following morning for their home in Cappon.

Mr. R. S. Gravett of Goldspring was in town on Tuesday and Wednesday, leaving on the latter day for his ranch. Mr. Gravett reports that the trails are not in good shape yet for sleighing.

Last Friday this district was visited by a severe snow storm which raged for over twenty-four hours. Subsequent cold weather has preserved the snow and a considerable amount of hauling has been done on sleighs, during the past week.

Change in Coal Prices

Owing to the fact that no coal has as yet been received for government orders on coal, we cannot sell any more at prices previously quoted. These prices were based on a case basis, but as payment is not being made as quickly as represented, on and after Monday 23rd, prices will be as follows: Truck prices: Nut \$5.00, Lump \$6.00. Shed Prices: Nut \$5.50, Lump \$6.50.

The Whitlock Lumber Co.
The Beaver Lumber Co.
The Acadia Grain Co.

PATRIOTIC MEETING TO-NIGHT

A Message to the people of Canada

The following message was sent out to the people of the Dominion of Canada, by His Royal Highness, the Duke of Connaught, after the inauguration of the Canadian Patriotic Fund, and will doubtless be of great interest to our readers at this particular time.

In response to urgent appeals from many parts of the Dominion, I inaugurated the Canadian Patriotic Fund, the object of which is to provide for the needs of the wives, families, and dependent relatives of those who go to the front to fight the battles of Great Britain and her Allies. Unless generous-minded citizens come to their aid, there will be, during the coming winter, much hardship in many families owing to the absence of the breadwinner. I have the greatest confidence that those that are in a position to give need but the opportunity of doing so, and that the response will be wide-spread and generous.

During the past few days the Canadian Patriotic Fund has been duly organized, a strong Executive, representing the whole Dominion, has been appointed, and a central Bureau established at Ottawa.

I sincerely hope that in every city and town throughout the Dominion, hundreds of like or-

ganizations may be formed, full particulars of which can be had by addressing the Honorary Secretary, Mr. H. B. Ames, M.P., Ottawa.

By co-ordinating and harmonizing benevolent efforts in this way, the danger of overlapping on the one hand, of neglecting, deserving communities on the other hand, may be met and overcome.

I am convinced that all Canadian hearts will go out to their brave fellow citizens who have gone to the front. A prompt and hearty response to this appeal will put all anxiety at rest about those near and dear to them, and will also afford to those who cannot go, an opportunity of doing their duty for Canada and the Empire.

ARTHUR.

Canadian Patriotic Fund.
Government House,
29th August, 1914.

Mr. Roy Steeves was entertained at supper on Tuesday night by several of his friends. The supper party was really intended for the five boys who left yesterday to join the second contingent, but owing to the fact that the other four were out of town they could not be present. Several speeches were made, and H. E. King who acted as chairman, expressed the sentiments of all present by wishing Mr. Steeves and those who would be going with him "God speed and a safe return."

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EARL ROBERTS IS DEAD

Earl Roberts, one of the Empire's greatest and oldest soldiers, died in France from pneumonia, on Saturday evening, November 10th, in his 82nd year.

His great devotion to the interests of the army, his indefatigable work in this connection and his seeming good health had been the subject of comment since the war began. His visit to France was presumably made to give his greetings to the Indian troops of which he was Colonel in Chief.

His popularity among both troops and civilians was Empire wide. Popularly known as "Bobs," he has been a national figure for years, and his death has caused the profoundest grief throughout the whole British Empire.

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The Oyen News

Mr. E. DOBERER, LEAVES TOWN

Mr. E. Doberer, who came to Oyen during the month of August and opened an up-to-date Men's Furnishing Establishment left town last Monday. Previous to his departure he shipped all his stock to the town of Drumheller where he will conduct a similar business.

His departure is a matter of deep regret to the many friends he made while here. All who came to know him, admired him for his business ability and soon learned to like him for his spirit of sociability. When present at any social gathering he would never fail to show a keen sense of humour, and possessed the happy faculty of always being able to say the right thing at the right moment. He was one of the leading members of the Gun Club, and a keen sportsman.

What is our loss, will be Drumheller's gain and the hearty good wishes of all friends for his future success and prosperity follow him.

Kirkwall School

The School Report for October.

Enrolment 14, average attendance 11 + Percentage of attendance 79 +.

Grade VI. Will McGiffin 212 Arthur Munroe 209, Gerald Desmond 238, Eugene Hogan 182, Howard Munroe 150.

Grade IV. Marion Marsden 203, Stuart Rowell 307, Kathleen Munroe 230, Elmer Desmond 280.

Grade III. Earl Sanders 328, Kathleen Coote 305, Will Desmond 280.

Grade I. Elmer Sanders 152 1st. Irving Coote 133.

A. E. WETHERILL,
Teacher

**HOW ARE
YOUR EYES?**



It is most important question nowadays, for there is an impression that each succeeding generation makes glasses more and more in demand. But it is wise to have advice about the eye-sight, and particularly if one suffers from **Headaches**, most of which are distinctly traceable to eye disorders. I fit glasses that give instant relief to the eyes and the head.

I have arranged to beat the Jewelry Store, Oyen every **Wednesday**. Remember the day and take advantage of this opportunity to have your eyes attended to. All work is absolutely guaranteed.

B. J. Steen,

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We are making a very special price on Cement and Beaver Board to reduce stock. Don't fail to get our prices before purchasing. The Newcastle coal is giving splendid satisfaction. We have it. The Whitlock Lumber Co., Ltd.

The movements of the boys who have joined the second contingent will be followed with interest by all local people. Letters from them will be published from time to time in the columns of this paper.

Premier Asquith Says the Task is no Light One that Britain Has

The main article of the *Lammas* is "The Russian Empire and the Russian People," by L. A. Lammé. It is believed that he is at once a Russian in human form and a Russian in spirit. The priest determines in his child the Russian people, and the Russian people are usually determined. Certain physical signs usually indicate the Russian people, and the names of the children are written to the required description. The Russian people are rolled up and placed in a gold urn.

body of men in existence is so hardy as this. Their physique is very fine

The Swordfish of Modern Naval War—The Explanation of the Showers is

of submarines has been aroused by the success of a German submarine

Andacious espionage carried on by the Germans has caused the staff of the British consulate in Berlin to be surrounded by a cordon of British soldiers. The British consular staff are surrounded by a cordon of British soldiers. The British consular staff are surrounded by a cordon of British soldiers.

the allies to deal severely with all strangers found within the lines.

STRENGTH OF BRITISH ARMY IS

IN THE ENERGY OF HER TROOPS

[illegible]

Bordeaux, which has suddenly risen to the position of the first city of the

A King Among Kings
There should be a demand for several millions of photographs of King Albert of Belgium, in Canada. And the legend inscribed on such should be "Here is a King among Kings."

"Is he a man of his word?"

"I don't believe so. He's a man of too many words."—Detroit Free Press

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OYEN METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday Nov. 22th.

Sunday School	2:30 p. m.
Preaching Service	7:30 p. m.
Benton School	3:00 p. m.
Brays	11 a.m.

Rev. Geo. A. Steele, Pastor.

The Empire's Loss

When the news of the death of Earl Roberts, one of the
Empire's greatest and oldest soldiers, was flashed over the
wires to every part of the British Empire and civilized world
the profoundest grief was felt by all who heard it.

Beloved by soldier's and civilians alike, the aged soldier
leaves a record which will probably never be equalled. Born
in India in '32, he was taken to England, an infant in arms.
At the age of nineteen he returned to India and served un-
der his father a distinguished general of the day. He earned
promotion rapidly and early in his career he gained the most
coveted prize of all soldiers, "The Victoria Cross," which
was pinned to his tunic by Queen Victoria. During his for-
ty years service in the Indian Empire, he was repeatedly
mentioned for his bravery and indefatigable efforts and won
lasting fame as a strategist. After his brilliant work in the
Afghanistan campaign, he was invalided home, when he was
given a remarkable reception, receiving honours from Queen
Victoria, the thanks of parliament and the freedom of many
cities.

After the British disaster at Majuba Hill, he was sent
to South Africa in '81, only to find on his arrival that peace
had been declared. Shortly afterwards he resumed service
in India and received the appointment of Commander in
chief of the British army in India in '85. In '92 he was
raised to the peerage as Baron Roberts of Kandahar and
Waterford, and in '95 became Field Marshal, and Command-
er in Chief in Ireland. After reverses had been sustained by
the British forces in South Africa during the early stages
of the Boer War, his services were again called for, and at
the age of 67, he was sent out to take command of the
British army in South Africa, in December 1899.

Shortly before sailing for South Africa, he received word
of the death of his only son, who was killed in action at
the battle of Tegel. After his arrival the British forces made
rapid headway and after relieving the garrison of Kimberly
and Ladysmith, he formally annexed the Boer states and on
June 31st, 1900 entered Pretoria. Soon after this he return-
ed to England and received the thanks of parliament for the
third time in his career as a soldier, and was created an
Earl, with the title of Earl of Kandahar, Pretoria and Wat-
erford. With the peerage went a grant of \$500,000.00, to
maintain the dignity of his exalted rank. He was succeeded in
South Africa by Lord Kitchener under whose direction the
war was brought to a successful termination, but it was not
until May, 1902 that peace was actually declared.

During the last few years Lord Roberts conducted a
vigorous campaign for compulsory military service. He be-
lieved in the German "mercenaries" and with an ardour born of
conviction, endeavored to make his country see the danger
it was exposing itself to, by not creating a military force
equal to that of any continental nation. When the present
terrible struggle commenced, his country called on him again,
and up till the time of his death, which occurred in France on
Saturday, November 14th, he was actively engaged in the
service of his country. Commenting on the universal denuncia-
tion of Germany's ruthless barbarity, he said "Regard the
Germans as honourable foes; do not believe all you hear about
them, but whether the stories of brutal and atrocious
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Affiliated With "D" Squadron
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Mr. J. A. Jones, who has de-
voted a considerable amount of
his time to recruiting volunteers
for the Second Canadian Con-
tingent in this district, has re-
ceived official permission to
form a troop with headquarters
at Oyen, which will be affiliated
with "D" Squadron 21st Regi-
ment Alberta Hussars.

Mr. Jones, who will take
command of this troop with the
provisional rank of Lieutenant,
asks for recruits to bring the
troop up to peace strength.
Any one desiring to join this
troop will make personal applica-
tion, to acting Lieutenant
Jones.

The Epworth League Hold Regular Meeting.

The young people of the Ep-
worth League met at the church
last night in a social gathering
and an enjoyable evening was
spent by those who attended.
The chief item of interest was
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A spelling competition which
was introduced caused consid-
erable amusement.

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AMENDMENT TO BY-LAW No. 2

**Restraining and Regulating the
Running at Large and Tres-
passing of Animals.**

2.—“That the expression at large or running at large, means, without being under control of the owner, either by being securely tethered or in direct or in continuous charge of a herder, or by confinement within any building or any enclosure, or a lawful fence.”

3.—“That the word Lawful in Section (2) be struck out.”

4.—“That under this By-Law, all animals not the property of the Ratepayers of the Rural Municipality of Cereal, No. 242, shall not be permitted to run at large within any part of the Municipality, excepting from, etc., etc.”

5.—“That after word ‘Municipality’ the rest of section be struck out, and this be added—Not permitted to run at large at any time during the year.”

6.—“Any animal found at large contrary to the provisions of this By-Law shall be liable to be impounded and sold according to the provisions respecting Pounds and Poundkeepers, unless the expenses and fees incidental to impounding the same, and the lawful pound fees are sooner paid. All charges payable in respect to any impounded animal shall be payable in the first instance to the Poundkeeper, who shall hold the same subject to the provisions of this By-Law for the person entitled thereto and every Poundkeeper shall retain in his Pound any animal impounded until all lawful fees and charges be paid.”

7.—“That the words following after ‘charges be paid’ in Section nine be struck out and the following be added, viz: Any person claiming any damage for trespass by any animal impounded may at the time of the impounding of such animal, deliver to the Poundkeeper a statement in writing, showing the nature and amount of his demand, and any person failing to deliver such statement at such time shall have no recourse to the provisions of this act as to the collection of damages.”

8.—“Upon the receipt of such statement the Poundkeeper shall, if the owner of the animal be unknown to him, apply to the Reeve or to any of the Councillors of the Municipality, or to the nearest Justice of the Peace, who is hereby authorized and required to summon three disinterested inhabitants of the Municipality as appraisers, and such three appraisers or any two of them shall, within twenty-four hours after being summoned, or otherwise, view the ground on which the animal or animals were found doing the damage and appraise the damage committed, and the determination of a majority of the said appraisers shall be conclusive as to such claim and the amount thereof, and they shall within twenty-four hours after having made the view, give in writing to the Poundkeeper a statement of the amount of the damages assessed by them, and said amount shall be the amount to be retained by the poundkeeper from the sale of the animal or animals as appraised damages.”

9.—“Each appraiser shall be allowed the sum of \$1.00 as fee for the appraisement and the amount of such fee shall be retained by the Poundkeeper out of the proceeds of the sale of the animal or animals, to be paid by him to the appraisers.”

10.—“That the following be added and constitute Section Ten (10).”

Any person who commits any of the following offenses, shall on summary conviction before a Justice of the Peace, be liable to a penalty not exceeding One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) or in default of payment of said fine, be committed to the nearest goal for a term not exceeding thirty (30) days.

(A)—Willfully and knowingly lets their animals run at large contrary to the provisions of this By-Law, or

(B)—Rescue, or attempt to rescue or interfere with any animal impounded on.

(C)—Destroys or injures, or attempts to destroy or injure any Pound, or

(D)—Drives any animal upon any cultivated land, or to any Stack of Grain or Hay, or upon any Sheds growing Hay, of which he has not ownership or lease, or agreement with the owner.

Done and passed in open Council assembled at Oyen, Alberta, August 28th, 1915.

(Signed) W. Jas. Ada, Reeve.

J. Howard Alexander, Sec'y, Treas.

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